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VOL. 13, NUMBER 263 MONESSEN, PA., MONDAY, APRIL 19, 1915 SIX CENTS THE WEEK

ANNIVERSARY SALE WAS A SUCCESS

George Rogaliner, proprietor of Monessen's 5, 10 and 25 cent store, closed his third anniversary sale Saturday night. It was a most successful affair. The greatest in the history of his three years experience. What do you think he attributes it to? The same thing that John Wanamaker

A LIVE WIRE

gives credit to for his rise in mercantile circles. Printer's ink. Mr. Rogaliner has always been a believer in liberal advertising, but this year he increased his appropriation to three times that of former years, and his sales were more than three times as great as any former year.. Naturally that smile on his face is three times as broad.

Mr. Rogaliner came to Monessen just three years ago from Pittsburgh and opened a 5, 10 and 25 cent store in the room vacated by the Woolworths. There was strong opposition and in reality it didn't look like such a good field. There were novelty stores, ten cent stores and racket stores all around, but George determined to succeed. He started right and he has kept going. He is one of the town's enterprising citizens and foremost business men, well liked by everybody.

Hospital Board is Planning Big Attraction

The Monessen-Charleroi hospital will offer for the first time in this community a big city attraction known as "Ye Old Country Store" which will be opened Saturday, May 1, 1915. The chief object of this enterprise is for the purpose of raising money for the hospital betterment and enlargement.

Undoubtedly this will be a big hospital boom, as a number of the leading citizens of both towns are interested as well as physicians. surgeons and directors. Fully 50,000 people in the immediate vicinity want to see a bigger and better local hospital. A few of the reasons why—the many accidents, such as railroads, automobiles, street cars, shops. mines, mills and foundries. The many poor who are here as well as everywhere, are without suitable homes for the sick and medical aid during such times.

This Monessen-Charleroi hospital is an absolute necessity when one stops to consider the many smaller towns which support a first class institution of the kind with the best of equipment.

This campaign will consist of several new and novel methods of raising money for the grand cause and this will be one of the leading features in connection with the Harry C. Hunter Shows at the Charleroi-Monessen bridge the week of May 1 to 8.

Claim Bank Will Re-open

It is rumored that within the next thirty days the First National bank of Uniontown will be opened and all depositors will get at least a portion of their money that has been tied up in the institution since the doors were closed. When or how much nobody knows.

FOR RENT

Apartment of six rooms and bath, Donner avenue $35.00
Apartment of five rooms and bath, Schoonmaker avenue $30.00
Apartment of four rooms and bath, Schoonmaker avenue $25.00
These apartments are new and modern in every particular.
DUVALL & DUVALL
63-4tfp Agents

AT A GREAT SACRIFICE

Owing to illness, fine bred pen Partridge Wyandottes. Book few settings Rhode Island Red eggs. Grand laying strain. Also setting hens for sale. Hagerty, 468 Motheral Ave.
61-3t

THINK:

If we did not want to please you, get your trade and keep it, we would not handle the STEIN BLOCH SMART CLOTHES and FASHION CLOTHES

We do handle these lines, knowing that every suit we sell will bring you back for another one. And the price is reasonable

$15 to $25

We sell cheaper men's suits for

$10 and $12

the same as the other fellow too, but we can't guarantee them.

M. Meyers & Son
MEN'S WEAR
513 DONNER MONESSEN

The Safe Way to Save

is to deposit each surplus dollar to your credit in the Monessen Savings & Trust Company, where it is secure and earns more money for you. Your account, whether large or small, is cordially invited

4% interest paid on saving accounts.

Monessen Savings & Trust Company

FOUL DAYLIGHT MURDER

Enraged Man Shot His Countryman With Shot Gun on Main Street of Town Then Disappeared. Is Still at Large. A Wrecked Home Assigned to be the Cause.

John Banpish was shot and instantly killed yesterday morning about 7:40 o'clock on Donner avenue between Third and Fourth streets. The man who wielded the gun was Emelio Patossa, a fellow countryman.

Patossa had evidently laid in waiting for the man against whom he bore a grudge, as he had concealed himself in a small alley between two houses, one being his own home, apparently knowing that Banpish expected to return from up the river on the morning train.

He armed himself with a single barrel shot gun and concealing himself, he waited until Banpish passed in front of him and then fired a load of shot in the man's neck. He fell to the street and would have died instantly but before he had time to breathe his last, Patossa reloaded the gun and fired another load into the wounded man's hip. He then made his escape and has not yet been apprehended.

The shooting was witnessed by Camelio Falara who was near the spot. He described the killing to the people who soon gathered about the dead man.

The shooting was done just around the corner from the police station, but no officer could be found. It was reported that the night men had gone home and that the day force was not yet on the job.

The dead man lay there in the street for half an hour before any person stepped to the front to have the body removed to a place of concealment. Squire A. N. Shuster happened to be leaving town early and hearing of the murder, he went to the place, viewed the body, and had the man's face covered from view.

It was the coldest blooded murder ever committed in this town. The man who did the shooting is supposed to have been a wronged husband. Last week his wife disappeared from home without formal notice and without cause, leaving a broken hearted husband and a little three years old boy.

Patossa is said to have grieved deeply. He reported his loss to the police department and he and his child appeared before the burgess. The man was heartbroken. He sobbed convulsively and the child and father held each other in an effectionate embrace while the story was related. The woman has not been located.

It is said that Patossa blamed Banpish for kidnapping his wife and that he warned the man what the outcome would be. It is reported today that Saturday night when Banpish went to the station to take the train for Brownsville, that Patossa followed him to the station and that the two men had a heated argument before the train pulled in.

The true circumstances leading up to the killing have not yet been brought out as the murderer is still at large and no one seems to be able to give a clear account of the cause. But it is said that the broken hearted husband had so brooded over the loss of his wife and the breaking up of his home that he was a nervous wreck. His act was committed when he was on the verge of nervous collapse and it is evident that he blamed the man he shot for his wrong.

When the dead body of Banpish was searched, $59.00 in money and a big revolver was found on his person. The money is supposed to have been the fruits of gambling done at Brownsville Saturday night. The man is supposed to have followed gambling to some extent.

Banpish was a married man and is the father of four children. He lived at Third and Schoonmaker avenue. Patossa is the father of one child. The wife and mother is still absent from home, and no one seems to be able to tell where she is, but it is believed that news of the murder will bring her home to her child.

Yesterday afternoon Deputy Coroner Day empanneled a jury and an inquest was held over the dead body. The jury reported that Banpish came to his death by gun shots inflicted by Emelio Patossa and that he be apprehended and held to answer for the crime.

Shortly after the tragedy a message was sent to state police headquarters and a detachment sent here. The town and county round about is being scoured in the hopes of apprehending Patossa.

Boy Scouts Report a Most Enjoyable Day

George Bowes, local scout master, reports a very pleasant and profitable trip to Pittsburgh with a number of his boys. The party took in all of the events scheduled on the day's program and returned home after the midnight hour. Much good was accomplished and it is believed renewed interest will be taken by the boys who were on the trip.

Olympic Theater

The fourth episode of "The Black Box" today at the Olympic. We believe it is a little better than the average. Also J. Warren Kerrigan, the famous player in "The Guardian of the Flock" in two reels, and many others today.

Tuesday, a great dramatic play, "Mystery of the Poison Pool." This is one of the most inspiring, interest-

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New Garments New Styles

Stylish Spring Suits in leading shades at $10.00 to $23.75.

Newest design in ladies' coats, high or plain collars at $4.98 to $18.50.

Home of Children's Coats. the style that pleases parents at $1.98 to $8.95.

Pretty models of Spring Hats, latest designs, new shades at $2.50 to $6.75.

Lids for children, this is every mother's delight for with a new hat every child is justly proud at 50c to $1.98.

N. W. Schlup Co.
The Store of Values

The Welfare of the Community

To promote the business welfare of the community, the First National Bank of Monessen is pleased to offer a banking service that is valuable to the people.

You are cordially invited to make this Strong Bank your Depositary.

THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK
MONESSEN PA

New Giba Building is Ready For Occupancy

The Westmoreland Lumber company has just completed the large mercantile and apartment building for Michael Giba at the corner of Third and Schoonmaker avenue. The building is modern in every way, including steam heat, hot and cold water, laundry, combination gas and electric lighting, and all modern conveniences. The apartments are large and roomy and well lighted. Each apartment has an individual hall and separate bath and separate lockers in laundry. The floors are sound proof, making each apartment as private as an individual house. Mr. Giba has spared no expense to make this the most modern building in Monessen.

Duvall and Duvall, the agents, invite an inspection of the building.

Today, the fourth episode of "The Black Box" at the Olympic. 1t fp

Vick's reliable garden seeds for sale at Kirk's drug stores.

Just Verdict for Arm

In the Pittsburgh court Saturday morning a jury awarded $21,500.00 to Peter Brown for the loss of a left arm. The member was injured by being struck by a Pennsylvania train at a crossing.

Woman Dies Suddenly

Mrs. F. L. Demor, aged 42 of 179 Third street, died yesterday morning at her home. She had been quite ill for the past several days. She is survived by the husband and four children. The funeral will take place this afternoon, interment in Grandview.

FOR SALE—Porch swing. Inquire 483 McKee avenue. 1tp

Conkey's Starting Food for Baby Chicks—25c and 50c at Kirk's drug stores.

Tomorrow "Mystery of Poison Pool" in five parts at the Olympic. 1t fp

Maple Walnut ice cream. Try it at Kirk's Fountains.

JEWELER EXPECTS TO QUIT BUSINESS

Phillip Brenner, the jeweler, has decided to quit business. He expects to close out his stock at auction sale beginning Saturday of this week and continuing from day to day until every article in the store is disposed of. Values will not be considered. Mr. Brenner expects to retire from the jewelry business and devote his energies to something of an entirely different nature. He has been in the jewelry business here for several years.

Hagan's pure ice cream, exclusive at Kirk's drug stores.

Olympic Theatre

We call your attention to the program of this week and next week. It is out of the ordinary.

HOW WE FILL PRESCRIPTIONS

We give individual care and a most particular service when we fill your prescriptions. Everything is done in strict accordance with your physician's direction and when the finished prescription is delivered to you, you can be sure that it is the result of scientific compounding.

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Craig's Drug Store
461 Donner Ave. The Rexall Store

SPRING SUITS

In Glen Urquhart plaids, club checks, new tartars, plain blues and grays. $12 to $25.

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Stiff and soft, newest shapes and colorings at $2.00 to $3.50

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Some Real Examples

The following "funnyisms," results of an eighth grade school examination held throughout the state of Indiana, is cribbed from the Indiana News and passed along as too good to keep:

The News secured its dope from the school superintendent and the answers are genuine.

To the question, "Who is Indiana's leading poet?" a large percentage said Whittier, and one said he wrote "I shot an arrow in the air, etc." A few said Longfellow, and one boy solemnly declared Shakespeare was the state's greatest poet.

One of the questions in history was to name the governor of Indiana, the U. S. senators from that state and the congressman from the respective districts. Lincoln Dixon is congressman from the fourth district. One pupil said the congressmen were Lincoln and Dixon. Another declared Dixon was goveror and was also congressman. A third said "Woodrow Wilson is governor of Indiana."

Another history test was to tell something of Samuel S. F. B. Morse. One lad said "Morse invented artificial breathing," while another struck closer and said "Morse invented the telegram." Another said Henry Clay invented the sewing machine and one answer was that Clay invented the cotton gin.

When asked to name the four largest cities in Indiana, one paper submitted said, London, Chicago, Singaport and Paris.

In physiology, when asked to define a tendon, one pupil replied, "A tendor is a large oricle running to the heel."

Asked about the care of the teeth, these replies were found: "The teeth should be brushed with a toothpick after each meal," and "After the teeth are gone, the stomach will have to digest the food." And about mouth breathing, "The person who breathes through his mouth talks through his nose."

With reference to milk and cooking, these answers were submitted: "We cook food to make it more pilotable," "One of the objects of cooking is to kill the insects," and "Milk should be kept away from insects and inspected at least once a year."

"What are winds?" was one questions asked. Some of the answers were: "The winds make health by giving people bad colds;" "Wind is atmosphere going fast;" "Wind is a large breeze blowing in the air, but you can't see it;" "Winds are rain, hail and sleet."

We are not deriding the children. Lots of grown people make just as funny mistakes in their own way. Instead we are sharing the laughs with others.

Charms of Home

Never mind about the patches, never mind about whether opera tickets come easily or not, never mind about whether the flat wheeled strap hangers' delight takes you to your 10 hours of grind or not, answer these things—have you health? Have you real friends? Have you a clear conscience? Have you an appetite? Can you enjoy a good book or a sweet song? And does the morning sun find you awake and rapt in the carol of the sky?

If you have these things, and, perhaps, for good measure, a pair of chubby baby arms to reach out to you at the end of the day and yell "Dada" in sheer delight, then you have all a man need have, and more than most gain.

We are not preaching a dull, sheep-like content, nor a passive submission under the yoke, but we do preach the glory of physical health and the joy of clean living and right thinking. Your strong legs and broad shoulders and stomach of chilled steel, and wind, and endurance, and your happy, tumbling kiddo by your feet there on the rag carpet are things you cannot sell, neither can you buy them.

Read a "Certain Rich Man" some glorious spring Sunday and take the lesson home. A little money is a good thing to make pleasant the path of those we love, and to maintain our self respect for outward niceties, but much money and the striving therefore is a bane, a grievous burden, and generally the more you have of things, the less you have of happiness.

All this has been said by every thinker since the dawn of the world. But mighty few of us regard the loss of a job, or of money, or of social pace, as anything but a grievous misfortune. It may bring the greatest content and joy in our lives. It is merely up to you. The man who sighs for the tainted and tinsled glories of the mock stage when the hills and the skies and the stars of the universe are spread freely before him, with the choirs of the birds of heaven making eternal melody, is grubbing in the sewer when he might be dwelling in the secret places of the almighty.

BUSINESS MEN GETTING AWAKE

New York, April 19—A campaign will be waged beginning this week in every commercial city of the country for the raising of a national fund to fight frauds and prosecute them in the courts. The National Association of Credit Men is in charge of the campaign, and credit men have set meetings for this week. The business men are spurred to action by the uncovering of colossal frauds, subterfuges of schemers, and pillaging of merchants and manufacturers, which have grown to astounding proportions throughout the country. The new fund will be used to prosecute perpetrators of frauds, and will form a great left arm for the Federal Trade Commission in policing the highways of trade.

The fund which will ultimately be raised will be sufficient to enable the business men to spend $250,000 a year in investigations and court proceedings. A big corps of investigators will be utilized in an attempt to uncover the cunningly laid schemes of adventurers.

NOT THE ONLY ONE

There are Other Monessen People Similarly Situated

Can there be any stronger proof offered than the evidence of Monessen residents? After you have read the following, quietly answer the question.

Mrs. W. Koerner, 119 Knox avenue, Monessen, says: "I had a bad fall which injured my back. I suffered from a constant pain across my loins and in the morning I was always worse. If I stooped over a sharp pain caught me and I could not straighten. The secretions from my kidneys were unnatural and caused me annoyance I didn't rest well and rheumatic pains made it hard for me to get about. I was often so lame that I had to sit on cushions and I had puffy sacks beneath my eyes. I doctored and tried different medicines, but got no relief. Two boxes of Doans Kidney Pills, procured at the Hirsch Drug Co. drove most of the trouble away. I take this medicine off and on as a kidney tonic and it keeps me in good health."

Price 50c at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mrs. Koerner had. Foster-Milburn Co., Bucalo, N. Y.

Pension League Opposing Bill

The Mothers' Pension League of Allegheny county in opposing the Bill introduced in the Legislature by Representative Ramsey of Delaware county, giving Juvenile Courts privileges of granting allowances to mothers of dependent children has made public a letter written by Attorney Ira Jewell Williams of Philadelphia to a leader of the Pennsylvania state senate. Mr. Williams points out that the Ramsey bill is a departure from sound principles of government and that the granting of allowances to Mothers belongs to the administrative branch of the government and not the judicial and extracts of the letter follows:

Section 3 of H. R. 746 will conflict with the present or future efficiency of the so-called Mothers Pension Act. Section 3 gives the Juvenile court the power to remand a Juvenile to the custody of the mother and direct that the county pay her an unspecified sum for the child's keep. The Superior court decided that this could not be done under the existing law. The Juvenile court here has apparently been trying to get around this situation by committing children to charitable organizations who really allowed the child to remain in the hands of the mother and paid the sums to the mother. This is already a considerable drain on the county as I am told that the orders made by a Philadelphia judge now amount to $6,000 a week. I have come in contact with the matter in connection with the county commissioners office.

This section will necessarily conflict with the Mothers Pension Act because the Trustees under that Act and the court will be doing the same thing, in effect granting pensions to mothers who retain the care and custody of their children. The Mothers Pension Act surrounds the matter with wise restrictions; and proposed H. R. 746, Section 3, affords no test except the discretion of the court. It gives into the hands of the court to grant what are in effect pensions without any limitation as to number or amount.

This is matter for the administrative branch of the government, not the judicial. Each case should be investigated by trained workers connected with the Board of Trustees of the Mothers Pension Act, who have machinery for that purpose. The proposed H. R. 746 results in a duplication of agencies. The Mothers Pension Trustees might properly refuse a pension, and yet the court on insufficient information grant one. Or two pensions might be granted, one by the Trustees, and one by the court. In Philadelphia, in practice, the making of these orders by the court resulted in great confusion and annoyance. The county commissioners have no machinery for checking up the facts for auditing the orders.

The bill is a departure from sound principles of government, in placing upon the judiciary added responsibility which is not judicial in its nature.

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WANTED—Second hand roll top desk in fairly good condition. Call 53 or address the Independent. 52-tf

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Store fixtures, show cases, soda fountain, ice box, twelve chairs, three tables, motor and many other articles. Apply Frank Savella, 309 Schoonmaker avenue. 59-6t

FOR SALE—Cheap to quick buyer, horse and buggy, 1 set of harness. See William Hopkins, Dutchtown. 7-6tp

POULTRY—Rhode Island Red eggs for hatching. Day old chicks. Indian Runner Duck egg. Also utility cockerels. Pens of selected hens, headed by choice cocks. F. E. McClain, Belle Vernon, Pa., R. F. D. 38. Phone 129-3 Delivered. Mar. 15-2 mos.

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms; inquire 109 McKee avenue. 60-3tp

FOR RENT—Large well lighted, airy, well furnished front room. Apply 213 McKee avenue. 60-3t

TO LET—Three unfurnished rooms; inquire 107 Schoonmaker avenue. 59-6t

FOR RENT—Three rooms, bath and laundry, $15.00 a month. Apply 115 McKee avenue. 57-tf

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"My fire insurance expires at noon!"
"What company are you in?"
"I don't bother about details."
"Ever take note from your customers?"
"Sometimes."
"Ever take a note without knowing the name of the man who made it?"
"Well, I guess not!"
"What is a note, anyway?"
"A promise to pay."
"What's a fire insurance policy?"
"I get you! A promise to pay if you have a fire."
"Exactly. You're paying good money for a promise to pay without knowing the name of the company that promises!"
"Say, what company are you in?"
"The panic-proof Hartford Fire Insurance Company. A company that has promptly settled every honest loss for 105 years.
May we show YOU a Hartford policy? Costs no more than others.
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Massena, N. Y.—"I have taken Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and I highly recommend it. If anyone wants to write to me I will gladly tell her about my case. I was certainly in a bad condition as my blood was all turning to water. I had pimples on my face and a bad color, and for five years I had been troubled with suppression. The doctors called it 'Anemia and Exhaustion,' and said I was all run down, but Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound brought me out all right."—Miss LAVISA MYRES, Box 74, Massena, N.Y.

Young Girls, Heed This Advice.

Girls who are troubled with painful or irregular periods, backache, headache, dragging-down sensations, fainting spells or indigestion, should immediately seek restoration to health by taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

FEEL YOUNG!

It's Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets For You!

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When Billy Sunday Came to Town

By ALEXANDER CORKEY

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SYNOPSIS.

Reginald Nelson, a young Englishman of high birth, comes to this country to win fame and fortune. On the steamer he meets Albert Townley, a minister, Mrs. Graham and her pretty daughter, Joy.

Reginald goes to Bronson, home of his three new acquaintances, where he learns that Joy's father is a leading lawyer, who is the mainstay of a corrupt political ring. He gets a job.

The young Englishman enters the social life of Bronson. He falls in love with Joy, and later discovers that she is engaged to be married to Roland Gregory.

Allan Rutledge, another minister, and the Rev. Mr Townley confer on the evil moral and laboring conditions in Bronson. The reform element meets and decides to have Billy Sunday, the noted evangelist aid in a "cleanup."

Editor Marchmount offers Reginald a position on his paper. The latter accepts, and later he performs a heroic act in stopping a dangerous runaway.

The four horses were now running at full speed. As far as the eye could see the road stretched, straight and broad, but the driver knew there was a sharp curve a couple of miles ahead where the road crossed the railroad track, and he struggled to regain his control. Reginald Nelson arose to his feet and climbed up on the driver's seat.

"Give me the reins to the front team," said Reginald, getting a firm hold with his feet on the footboard of the driver's seat. He reached over and grasped the lines controlling the two front horses, leaving the driver free to manage the second team.

The frightened horses seemed to know that a strong hand had taken the reins as soon as Reginald grasped them. "Steady!" he shouted, pulling stronger and stronger on the heavy leather lines. "We'll soon quiet them now," he said to the driver as the horses slackened a little in their mad pace. Half a mile farther on the two men were able to bring the teams to a full stop, and Reginald climbed down to his place under the robes beside Vivian Derwent.

"Where did you learn to drive wild horses?" asked Joy Graham, drawing a long breath.

"That was joily," responded the Englishman. "It makes me think of my boyhood days."

The visit to Vivian's home proved a decided success, and but one discordant note was sounded. That occurred when Roland Gregory in a general conversation about Bronson affairs said:

"This fellow Allan Rutledge is going too far in stirring things up. Now he's going to bring that mountebank Billy Sunday here. He'll regret doing that."

The closing words were spoken with a frown and a threat.

CHAPTER VI.

In the Courier Office.

"GOOD morning, Mr. Nelson. I am glad to see you arrive at your desk so promptly each day. There is some tragedy in the north part of town reported this morning. I wish you would investigate at once."

Mr. Marchmount spoke these words to Reginald about a week after he had begun his work on the Courier. It needed little inquiry for him to find the home where the tragedy had happened, as the entire neighborhood was alive with excitement.

"Shure, an' it's too bad entoirely," an Irish woman explained, when Reginald approached the first group he came to and asked what had happened. "Shure, an' it's poor Mae, the purty girl. She's dead."

"Dead?" responded Reginald. "How did she die?"

"Ah," responded the other, pulling her shawl un around her head and shivering in the wind, "there was some rascal back o' it, but, loike as not, they'll never catch him. Her poor mither is heart broke."

The cottage in which the tragedy, whatever it might be, had taken place was one of three cottages built side by side, each exactly a copy of the other. The houses in that neighborhood were occupied almost entirely by the workers in the large factories near by. Reginald knocked, and a woman about middle age, with eyes red from weeping, came to the door.

"I represent the Courier," said the reporter, stepping inside. "I have called to get the details of the death of the girl."

Low as he spoke a woman sitting near a small stove in the room overheard him. Her face was the picture of despair. She was wringing her hands. Tears were silently coursing down her cheeks.

"Oh, my God, my God! Will the world know the shame of my poor Mae?" she shrieked as she heard the newspaper man make his inquiry. "Oh, Mae, why did you do it? Why did you do it?"

The Mother Broke Down Utterly.

Reginald spoke in a kind, sympathetic voice, seating himself on a vacant chair beside the stricken woman. She wept hysterically for a few moments. Then she became calmer.

"How old was your daughter?" Reginald asked after a pause.

The woman made an effort to control herself as she answered, "Twenty-one."

"Tell me how it happened." Reginald looked inquiringly at the mother. Reginald's presence and his questions seemed to give relief to the woman.

"Mae went to work yesterday just as usual," she began, wiping her eyes. "She looked as well as ever, and I thought to myself as she went out of the door that there wasn't a nicer or prettier girl in Bronson than my Mae." Here the mother's voice weakened somewhat, but she braced herself and continued, "When she came home in the evening it was later than usual, and I asked her what kept her so late."

"Where did she work?" asked Reginald.

"At the Gregory factory."

There was a pause.

"She told me she had a bad headache and that she would not take any supper, and soon after she went to bed. In a little while I heard her groaning, and I came into her room, and she was lying in bed in great pain. I called the doctor at once, and he came in a little while and said she was poisoned."

"What doctor did you call?" inquired Reginald.

"Dr. Gracely. He did everything he could, but all he could do was to give her opiates to quiet her pain. She didn't think she was going to die at first and kept saying she would soon feel better, but as the night went on she got worse, and when she saw how sick she was she tried to tell me something, but it was too late."

The mother broke down utterly as she repeated these words, and Reginald decided to leave.

Before returning to the Courier office Reginald visited the Gregory factory to learn what he could regarding the girl. When he called at the office he found that Roland Gregory had not yet arrived at the factory, but he received permission to interrogate some of the girls who worked alongside of the unfortunate Mae.

The girls at the factory had evidently heard of the tragedy, and they were much moved at the sudden death of their fellow worker.

In the afternoon Reginald attended the inquest. Dr. Gracely made a full report of the examination. Death had been caused by poison, evidently self administered.

"There was a sad reason for the rash act of the girl," said the doctor. "Her case proves that some of the charges recently made in regard to abuses in factories employing women and girls are true. If only the death of Mae Mobray could arouse public sentiment to the absolute necessity of public control of such industries the poor girl has not died in vain."

The words of Dr. Gracely made a profound impression on Reginald Nelson, and in his account of the tragedy in the Courier he quoted the words of the doctor, writing up the story in such a vivid manner that for a number of days the tragedy was the chief topic of conversation.

The week following Reginald departed for the Illinois town where Billy Sunday was closing a campaign. The young Englishman was delighted with this assignment, as he was anxious to meet the baseball champion, of whom Allan Rutledge had told him much.

As soon as the evangelist knew that Reginald was the city reporter of the Bronson Courier he gave the young Englishman a most hearty reception.

"Glad to meet you, Mr. Nelson!" he exclaimed. "How is my friend Rutledge getting along in Bronson?"

Reginald explained in what high regard the Iowa minister was held and told of the purpose of his own visit.

"I suppose the Bronson devil is getting a little nervous," said Mr. Sunday, with a laugh. "He generally gets stirred up when he hears I am liking his way."

Reginald assured the evangelist that ample preparations were being made and that he could depend on a welcome in the Michigan city.

"Our paper, the Courier, is planning to give you full space every day while you are in Bronson," continued Reginald.

"The power of the press today is a marvel," replied Mr. Sunday, speaking earnestly. "The newspapers are helping me save men right along. I cannot be too thankful for the support they have given me."

"You are a paying proposition for the newspapers," responded Reginald smilingly.

"You bet," answered the other promptly. "You can look for hundreds of new subscribers to the Courier as soon as I get to Bronson. I tell you, Mr. Nelson, it pays a newspaper as well as a man to serve Jesus Christ."

During the day Reginald interviewed prominent citizens of the place in regard to the Sunday campaign. From the mayor of the city down to the constable he found the verdict practically unanimous in the evangelist's favor.

"The only people who are complaining now," said a leading dry goods merchant, "are the saloon men and the theaters. The saloons are losing thousands of dollars every week, but their loss is the people's gain."

(continued in our next issue.)

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Monessen, Pa., April 19, 1915

Editor Daily Independent:—

Dear Sir—I noticed in your paper the offer you made in regard to giving a two year subscription to your paper to the oldest citizen of Monessen, also to the oldest person in Monessen. I think the offer was very nice. While I realize that I cannot contest for the prize, although I am one of the early pioneers of the city, coming to Monessen March 21st, 1898.

I am happy to say that I have seen the town grow from a few houses to a most beautiful city and that I have had the privilege to see the campaign waged to make the town a third class city defeated. I feel proud of our public school system which I have seen grow from a small plank building to seven up to date large school buildings. I am proud to say that our public school system is second to none in the country.

I came to Monessen March 21st, 1898, opening up the first church service that was ever held in Monessen. The service was held in Loutitt's hall at 2:30 March 21st. I delivered the first sermon ever preached in Monessen, and in April following I organized the first Sabbath school in Monessen.

On the second Sunday in May, the first church of the United Brethren in Christ was organized and in July following, the presiding elder L. M. Stahl held the first quarterly conference for me. On December 5, 1898, I moved my family to Monessen, engaging in teh mercantile business, leasing the Skirkey building on Schoonmaker avenue, stocking the same with a stock of groceries, books and novelties and confections, later selling out the business.

At the first regular election I was elected to council, serving three years. A few years later I was again called to the council, there being a vacancy and the council elected me to fill the place. I was the first blacksmith for the Page Woven Wire Fence company, employed when starting to build the mill. Later I was promoted to be foreman of the blacksmith department, being employed three years, but resigned to accept a place in the blacksmith shop of the Pittsburgh Steel company where he has worked for the past fourteen years.

N. E. Sprouse.

Report of the Condition of the MONESSEN SAVINGS & TRUST COMPANY, OF MONESSEN, PA.

At the close of business, April 5, 1915

RESOURCES

Reserve fund: Cash, Specie and Notes	$33,002.00	
Due from approved reserve agents	6,729.44	
Legal securities at par		39,731.44
Nickels and cents		146.13
Checks and cash items		4,789.78
Securities pledged for special deposits		9,169.50
Securities pledged for bills payable		34,533.50
Commercial paper purchased: Upon one name	65,326.37	
Upon two or more names	137,248 86	202,575.23
Loans upon call with collateral		22,560.00
Time loans with collateral		32,737.04
Loans secured by bonds and mortgages		8,460 70
Bonds, stocks, etc.		45,105.84
Mortgages and judgments of record		214.200 75
Office building and lot		60.414.86
Other real estate		9,362.09
Furniture and fixtures		10,409 21
Overdrafts		751.97
Other assets not included in above		20 .00
Total		$691.928.04

LIABILITIES

Capital stock paid in	$150,000.00
Surplus Fund	80,000.00
Undivided profits less expenses and taxes paid	23,696 96
Individual deposits subject to check (exclusive of trust funds and savings)	182,833.71
Demand certificates of deposit (exclusive of trust funds and savings)	16,232.09
Deposits, saving fund (exclusive of trust funds and savings	253,753.07
Deposits U. S. postal savings	6,720.00
Dividends unpaid	34.00
Treasurer's and certified checks outstanding	2,858.21
Bills payable on demand	28,800.00
Total	694,928.04
Amount of Trust funds invested	17.450 00
Amount of Trust funds uninvested	2,565.41
Total Trust funds	19.955.41

CORPORATE TRUSTS

Total amount (i. e face value) of Trusts under deeds of trust or mortgages executed by corporations to the company as Trustee to secure issues of corporate bonds, including Equipment Trusts $47,000

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COUNTY OF WESTMORELAND }

I, J. Howard Kelly, Treasurer of the above named Trust Company, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

J. Howard Kelly, Treasurer

Sworn and subscribed before me this 14th day of April, 1915.
Alfred Tanzer, Notary Public

O. J. Kreger
E. M. Frye
Wm A. McShaffrey
Directors.

DISCUSSION EXPECTED IN BIG DISPUTE

Chicago, Ill., April 19—Decision is expected tomorrow from the board of arbitration in the great dispute between the 60.000 employes of 98 western railroads and the great lines of the west. So great are the issues involved, so vital to both sides of the big dispute, that an adjustment is looked for that will placate both sides of the controversy. A gigantic strike of the railroad workers was narrowly averted last year. The railroads were equally insistent on their position against the granting of higher wages and more favorable working conditions. The crisis was averted by mediation of the federal government.

The decision which is expected tomorrow ends the biggest industrial arbitration ever conducted in the United States. Ever since November 30th last, six mediators have been taking testimony of both sides, questioning witnesses and hearing arguments on both sides. The exhaustive testimony, the gruelling grind of words and arguments would fill many volumes. To sort and weigh the testimony, to consider facts and figures, the condition of work as affecting the men and their employers, the justice or injustice of demands and refusals, the sacredness of property rights and of human rights, the entire fabric of the economic problem of modern transportation; these are but part of the great labor of the mediators.

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Local Notes

John Insley of Pittsburgh, spent Sunday with friends here.

F. G. Lane of Homestead, spent the week end with friends here.

100,000 Reasons WHY. 63-6t

Victor Chartner spent Saturday and Sunday with his parents at Pittsburgh.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. New spent Sunday with Mrs. New's sister in Cannonsburg.

Warren Kerrigan today at the Olympic. 1t

Misses Amelia Pehl and Lorena Teuche were Charleroi visitors yesterday afternoon.

Alf Armstrong of New Salem, was a visitor yesterday with his cousin, Miss Rhoda Armstrong.

100,000 Reasons WHY. 63-6t

Miss Francis Glenn, a teacher in the local schools, spent Sunday visiting friends in New Kensington.

Thursday "The wonderful picture, "A Fool ThereWas" in six reels at the Olympic. 1t

Mr. and Mrs .W. D. Cowan and daughter Dorothy, spent Sunday visiting friends in New Kensington.

Rev .B. F. Bungard spent Sunday at his home here, returning to his official duties at Harrisburg this morning.

Miss Nora Heilman has returned to her home in Roscoe after a pleasant visit with her sister, Mrs. James Currie.

Marsh and William Lee of Tenth street, returned last evening from Smock where they spent the past few days.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Frye drove to Boquet, this county, yesterday in Mr. Frey's Ford and spent the day visiting friends.

Rev. A. W. Davies, Jr., occupied the pulpit morning and evening yesterday at the M. E. church in the absence of the regular pastor.

100,000 Reasons WHY. 63-6t

Howard Heilman, who for the past three months has been employed in the Tin mill at Weirton, spent Sunday with his family here.

Ralph Brautegam drove over from Suterville yesterday and spent the day at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Adam Brautegam at the Foster house.

E. V. Anderson and wife and A. N. Shuster and wife drove out into Sewickley township yesterday in the former's car and spent the day at the home of John Shuster.

John Lindh left this morning for Uniontown to look after his institute at that place. He will return to Monessen tomorrow evening and will proceed with the redecoration of his rooms in the Barker building.

Elsie Marian, the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Delmont P. King died yesterday at the family home in Belle Vernon. Interment was made this afternoon in the family lot, Braddock cemetery, Braddock, Pa.

100,000 Reasons WHY. 63-6t

Mr. and Mrs. James V. Conti of Third and Screonmaker avenue, had as their guests over Sunday Mr. and Mrs. R. Golding and Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Golding of Monessen and the Messrs. David, Alexander and Elmer Dreyer of McKeesport. The latter two gentlemen are twin brothers.

Aaron Goldberg left Saturday evening for his home in Baltimore, after spending several days among friends here. Before his departure, Mr. Goldberg stopped in the office and advanced his subscription to "the great and only" for another year with the remark, "I can't get along without it."

Miss Linnea Vonberg of McMahan avenue, visited friends in Fayette City yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Graff Milhollan of Tenth street, were over Sunday visitors in Smock.

Wednesday, One of the world's greatest comedians, Billie Ritchie at the Olympic. 1t

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. White of Chester, W. Va., spent the week end with relatives here.

Dr. Geo. T. Cornelius has moved his dental offices to 410 Donner ave. 47-1m

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Harvey of Delaware avenue, spent the week end with relatives in Belle Vernon.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert G. Lee of Fourth street, visited the former's parents in Smock yesterday.

100,000 Reasons WHY. 63-6t

Misses Bessie Whitlatch and Lucy Guist of Ninth street, were calling on friends in Bentleyville yesterday.

100,000 Reasons WHY. 63-6t

Dr. D. C. Farquhar has returned from Ohio, where he was called on account of the serious illness of his brother-in-law of that place.

George Maund if Sixth street, who had three fingers of his right hand almost severed several weeks ago, is recovering nicely.

Miss Naomi Petzinger of Butler county, is visiting her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Braun of Schoonmaker avenue. She will likely remain for several days.

Jack Benjamin spent Sunday with friends and relatives in the city.

Miss Ruth Cleitts of Webster, was visiting friends and shopping in town today.

Mrs . A. H. Coughanour of Donner avenue, is reported among the sisk at this writing.

100,000 Reasons WHY. 63-6t

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Lafferty of Stockdale and T. J. Welsh of Pittsburgh, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Lafferty of Second street over Sunday.

A Young Men's Jewish Educational League was formed yesterday. The meeting was held in Kelley's hall with a good attendance. Officers will be elected later and the membership increased.

100,000 Reasons WHY. 63-6t

Press reports have not yet published that the fruit has all been killed by the late frosts. Yet we have had frost nearly every night in April.

A concert and recital will be given by Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wyatt, under the auspices of the Ladies Aid of the Baptist church, Tuesday evening, April 27. 63-6t fp

Marcel Colas has purchased a new Ford car from the Shaw Motor company and is now spinning around the streets. Other new cars delivered Saturday by the same concern were new truck to L. Warman, the grocer and a touring car to Hugo Fondella.

OLYMPIC THEATRE
(continued from first page)

ing and heart thrilling photo dramas that was ever thrown on the screen. We can say and guarantee the same thing of two other pictures we have for tomorrow.

Wednesday, the ninth episode of "The Exploits of Elaine" which has already proven its merits. But "The Fatal Note" L. KO where Billie Ritchie, the world's greatest comedian, is the leading actor, is a wonder. We never saw anything like it. Positively you will forget your troubles if you see this picture.

Thursday, April 22, "The Celebrated Scandal" where Betty Nansen, the world's greatest tragedian takes part. They say it is fine. Don't fail to see this picture. 1t

STAR THEATRE

"Runaway June" at the Star this afternoon and evening. This picture gets more exciting every week. Thursday, "The $20,000,000 Mystery." Tomorrow four big acts of vaudeville, the Caspers in their big acts. Colorado Charley in his fancy rifle shooting, the only man in the world shooting two rifles at one time, sighting both with one eye, hitting two different objects at the same time, held by th e lady. Don't miss this rare opportunity. Admission 5c to all.—Star theatre. 1t

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Wednesday, the ninth episode of "Exploits of Elaine" at the Olympic.1t

100,000 Reasons WHY. 63-6t

Mr. and Mrs. E. Cochran and baby returned to their home in Dawson today after spending the past week with the former's brother, G. C. Cochran of Schoonmaker avenue.

Ashby Boyer has again reported for duty as baggage master at the local depot. Mr. Boyer has been ill for the past six weeks, suffering from an attack of typhoid fever.

100,000 Reasons WHY. 63-6t

J. C. F| Motz badly wrecked his automobile yesterday afternoon by colliding with a telegraph pole at the intersection of Ninth and Schoonmaker avenue. The radiators, lamp and fender were badly crippled.

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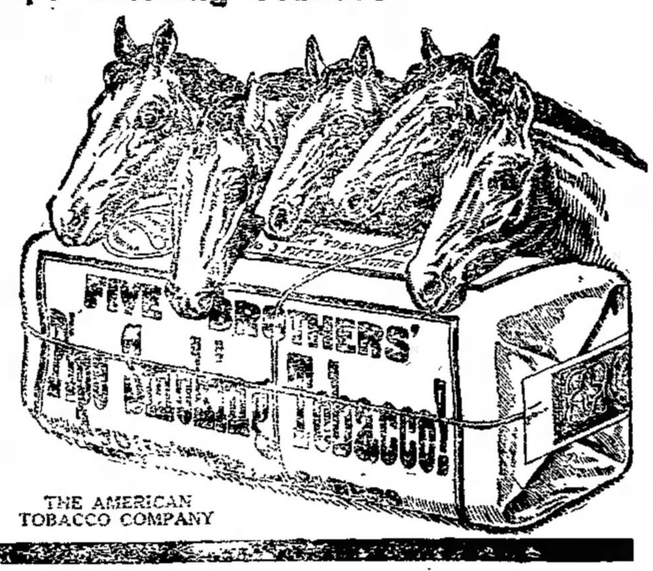


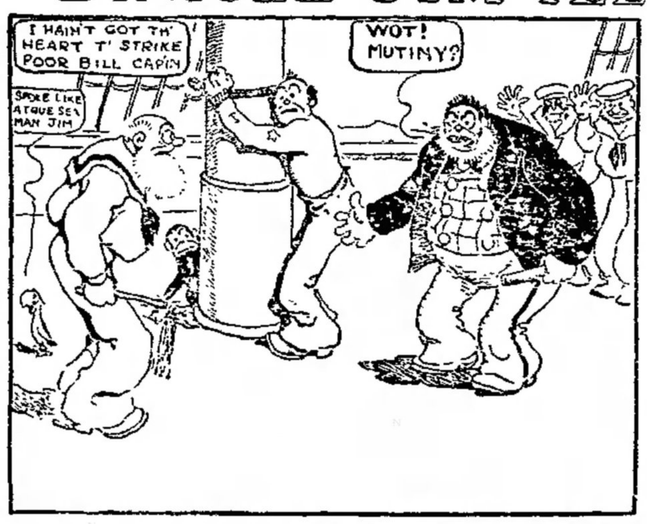
THE AMERICAN TOBACCO COMPANY

Milton Shrader had a slight mishap Sunday afternoon with his Overland while out near Bentleyville. The axel was badly twisted and the machine otherwise temporarily crippled.

George Farrel had a misfortune with his new Dodge car yesterday while out on the state road back of Charleroi. The car slid off of the road and was badly damaged.

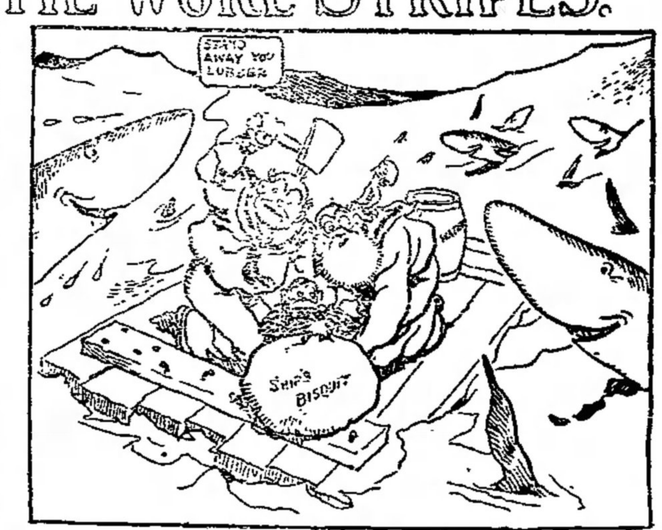
Old timers are telling us that April 10 was the warmest April day since 1887. In the face of such marvelous statistics, it's a wonder nobody reported any sun strokes.

BINICLE JIM TELLS HOW HE AND MATIE WORE STRIPES.



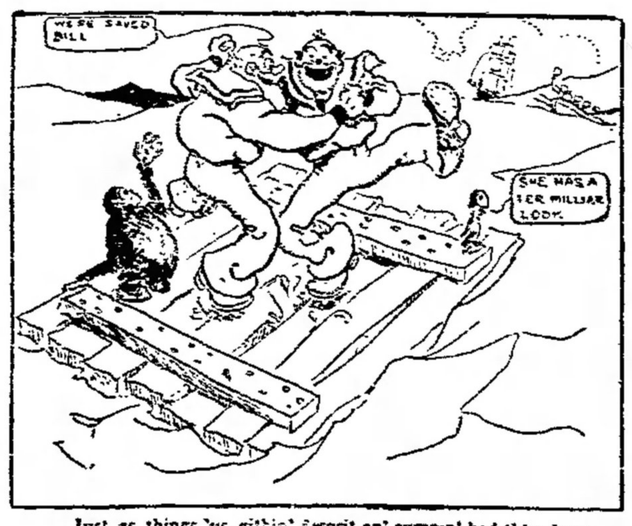
Man and boy, afore the mast, I've stood con-sid-er-able abuse in my time, but I'm no hand to complain, not me, but when Captain Soakum o' th' brig Dancin' Sally, ordered me t' lay twenty-nine stripes on my old mate Bill, I rebelled, I did, an' you can lay to that

I never see th' master o' a craft take on as did this same Captain Soakum. It was sumpin' ter-rif-ic t' see, but that night arter we'd been clapped in irons wot d'ye s'pose, if that ape o' Bill's didn't sneak down t' th' bulkhead there 'ith a lantern an' turned us loose.



Arter driftin' out o' sight o' th' vessel on a sort o' raft th' se-gacious critter had rigged up, stove my sides if we didn't bump into a school o' man-eaters that 'us a caution, an' if Bill ha'n't brought along th' ship's ax, which he most generally always did, we'd a been swamped sartin.

Arter three weeks 'ithout sightin' a sail th' supplies run out, an' poor Bill's mind begun to wander in his head. At mess-time he'd think o' th' crew safe an' snug on board th' Dancin' Sally an' say 'at Captain Soakum wusn't such a bad man at heart arter all, an' then he'd abuse that poor ape shameful.



Just as things 'us githin' desprit an' sumpin' had t' be done, an' it looked like th' ape, poor feller, that animal, who'd been keepin' a uncommon bright lookout, sighted a full rigged ship an', we proceeded t' make signs o' distress, if dancin' a hornpipe can be considered sich.

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TH' PARROT DID IT CAP
WE US SMUGGLED BY TH' APE CAP
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Well, sir, we 'us that glad t' git aboard 'at we never took our bearin's nor noticed the trim o' th' craft, an' blow me a breeze if it wusn't no more nor less than that same Dancin' Sally 'ith Captain Soakum in charge. Well, to wind up a long story short, Bill an' me wore stripes from that 'ere cat-o'-nine-tails for many a long day arter.

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